

# BEARFACTS 1988 – 1998 Pembina, North Dakota [38067]

Pembina is one of 53 counties in North Dakota. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1998 population of 8,769 ranked 16th in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 1998 Pembina had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$28,931. This PCPI ranked 1st in the state and was 126 percent of the state average, \$22,872, and 108 percent of the national average, \$26,883. The 1998 PCPI reflected an increase of 24.5 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 10.6 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. In 1988 the PCPI of Pembina was \$13,602 and ranked 7th in the state. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.0 percent and for the nation was 4.5 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 1998 Pembina had a total personal income (TPI) of \$253,693\*. This TPI ranked 13th in the state and accounted for 1.7 percent of the state total. In 1988 the TPI of Pembina was \$133,894\* and ranked 14th in the state. The 1998 TPI reflected an increase of 23.1 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 10.2 percent and the national change was 7.4 percent. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.9 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Pembina. In 1998 net earnings accounted for 65.6 percent of TPI (compared with 56.5 in 1988); dividends, interest, and rent were 21.8 percent (compared with 26.6 in 1988); and personal current transfer receipts were 12.6 percent (compared with 16.9 in 1988). From 1997 to 1998 net earnings increased 36.5 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 5.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 0.1 percent. From 1988 to 1998 net earnings increased on average 8.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.5 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Pembina increased from \$158,681\* in 1997 to \$207,876\* in 1998, an increase of 31.0 percent. The 1997-1998 state change was 12.0 percent and the national change was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1988 estimate of \$94,005\* to the 1998 estimate was 8.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.4 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

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<sup>\*</sup>Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.